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30 August 1955

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Purchase of Vehicle

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1. [REDACTED] brought Mr. Hart Perry, Bureau of the Budget, to my office in connection with a Bureau of the Budget questionnaire concerning automobiles. The specific questions remaining to be answered were a source of authority for the purchase of the Director's car at a cost in excess of that authorized under Public Law 600 and also the source of authority for other than strictly "official use" of the Director's car. It was indicated to Perry that to our recollection there had been discussions both with appropriations committees and with the Bureau of the Budget. In any event we suggested that he include in his questionnaire the source of authority as being Public Law 110, Central Intelligence Agency Act of 1949, Sections 10(a) and 10(b). He thought this would be sufficient, but in the meantime we will search our records for any references to discussions with the Bureau of the Budget or the committees.

2. Office of General Counsel files, including those of the Legislative Counsel, have yielded nothing on this matter, but it is possible that the Office of the Comptroller might have something.

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Acting General Counsel

cc: A-DD/S
Comptroller